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In re Application of:

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be

construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to

patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This application is a continuation-in-part application of Serial No. 08/840,523, filed April

21, 1997 and is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

The present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the

receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to

be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in

connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however,

should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to

these materials, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from

Arnold, White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/UTSB:646/HYL.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present

case.

Respectfully submitted,

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